

ATTACHMENT E

June 21, 1993

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Sincerely,

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## **ATTACHMENT B**

# Group still fighting radio tower

By Kevin Cline  
Editor

Rebuked by the Maricopa County Planning and Zoning Commission last week, a handful of local citizens hoping to remove a radio tower in the area are already planning to relay their message to a higher power.

The Vulture Peak Restoration Group had hoped to convince the Planning and Zoning Commission last week that the 499-foot radio tower that has been standing on Hospital Hill at the southwest end of Wickenburg for the past two years is in violation of flight safety and environmental regulations.

Circle S Broadcasting, owners of radio stations KTAM and KMEO in Wickenburg, presented a required two-year status report on the existing tower to the planning commission last week, when the local Vulture Peak group made its plea.

The Restoration Group wants the radio tower reduced in size immediately and removed altogether when and if a possible new tower is installed further outside of town.

However, the group made no progress last week.

"We received a very embarrassing rebuke," noted Allan C. Torgerson, coordinator of the Restoration Group in writing to Maricopa County Supervisors Chairman Betsey Bayless. "As you know, our Vulture Peak Group has taken very serious issue with the flight safety and environmental aspects of this tower."

He explained to Bayless that the Restoration Group had prepared for its presentation at the commission meeting but was given little time to present

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its arguments.

"I attempted to point out inaccuracies, particularly the glaring 299-foot tower height violation of Federal Aviation Regulations, Part 77," Torgerson noted in his letter. "I was cut off by the chairman and told the status report was accepted as read."

"Harry Craig, (Wickenburg) town attorney and assistant town manager, attempted to put this deteriorating situation back in perspective and was similarly rebuked," he added. "The entire review was over in 10 minutes; there was no intent to hear the other side."

"Our comments relating specifically to the subject were never presented," Torgerson continued. "The commission showed little interest in understanding the issue."

The Vulture Peak Group is requesting a meeting with Bayless and County Supervisor Ed King, who represents the Wickenburg area.

"The actions (by the commission) have the appearance that, for some reason, you are being shielded," Torgerson wrote.

Shumway, however, believes the objections are no more than "harassment."

"Even one of the Planning Commissioners said, 'It sounds like harassment,'" he said.

Shumway explained that the Federal Aviation Authority (FAA) and the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) both authorized the 499-foot tower, "and we were told by the county that the zoning is legal."

"I'm concerned about the harassment," Shumway added. "It does nothing but cost us legal fees every time they challenge it."

"They just can't get any results," he continued.

The Restoration Group is claiming FAA regulations prohibit any obstructions over 200 feet in the vicinity of an airport, but Shumway said Torgerson and the Restoration Group is wrong.

Rad "If they think the FAA or the FCC doesn't know about their own regulations, then they must be wrong," the radio station owner noted.

His wife, Sharon, explained that last week's status report is standard procedure for anyone operating under a special use permit.

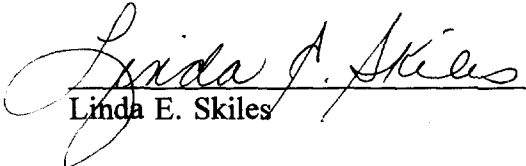
The special use permit requires the status report after the first two years of operation, she reported.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Linda E. Skiles, Office Administrator of the law firm of Shainis & Peltzman, do hereby certify that copies of the foregoing document were mailed this 7th day of July, 1994, to the offices of the following:

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